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Supplemental

DETAILED ACTION

Status of Claims

Claims 1-18 and 32-39 are pending. Claims 1-18 and 35-39 were allowed in the previous office action. Claims 32-34 remain pending.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Randy Calhoun on 03/12/2010.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claims 32-34 are canceled.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to William E. Rankins whose telephone number is 571-270-3465. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 7:30 AM - 5:00 PM.

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